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Independent Auditors' Report

April 26, 2006

To the Board of Directors Coleman Area Library Coleman, Michigan

We have audited the accompanying financial statements of the governmental activities, and the major fund of Coleman Area Library as of and for the year ended December 31, 2005, which collectively comprise the Coleman Area Library's basic financial statements as listed in the table of contents. These financial statements are the responsibility of Coleman Area Library's management. Our responsibility is to express opinions on these financial statements based on our audit.

We conducted our audit in accordance with U.S. generally accepted auditing standards. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. We believe that our audit provides a reasonable basis for our opinions.

In our opinion, the financial statements referred to above present fairly, in all material respects, the respective financial position of the governmental activities and the major fund of Coleman Area Library as of December 31, 2005, and the respective changes in financial position thereof for the year then ended, in conformity with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles.

Required Supplemental Information

The management's discussion, analysis and budgetary comparison listed in the table of contents are not a required part of the basic financial statements but is supplemental information required by U.S. generally accepted accounting principles and the Governmental Accounting Standards Board. We have applied certain limited procedures, which consisted principally of inquiries of management, regarding the methods of measurement and presentation of the required supplemental information. However, we did not audit the information and express no opinion on it.

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Our discussion and analysis of the Coleman Area Library's (Library) financial performance provides an overview of the Library's financial activities for the fiscal year ended December 31, 2005.

Financial Highlights

The Library's net assets decreased by \$22,293 or 3%. Program revenues were \$6,115 or 5% of total revenues, and general revenues were \$108,289 or 95%.

Using this Annual Financial Report

This annual financial report consists of a series of financial statements and notes to those statements. These statements are organized so the reader can understand Coleman Area Library financially as a whole. The *Government-wide Financial Statements* provide information about the activities of the whole Library, presenting both an aggregate view of the Library's finances and a longer-term view of those finances. The fund financial statements provide the next level of detail. For Governmental activities, these statements tell how services were financed in the short-term as well as what remains for future spending. The fund financial statements look at the Library's operations in more detail than the Government-wide financial statements. The following summarizes the presentation included in this annual financial report.

Management's Discussion and Analysis (MD&A) (Required Supplemental Information)

Basic Financial Statements

- Governmental-wide Financial Statements
- Fund Financial Statements
- Notes to the Financial Statements

Budgetary Information for the General Fund (Required Supplemental Information)

Management's Discussion and Analysis For the Year Ended December 31, 2005

Reporting the Library as a Whole

The Statement of Net Assets and Statement of Activities

One of the most important questions asked about the Library's finances is, "Is the Library better or worse off as a result of the year's activities?" The Statement of Net Assets and the Statement of Activities report information about the Library as a whole and about its activities in a manner that helps to answer this question. These statements include all assets and liabilities using the accrual basis of accounting similar to the accounting used by private sector corporations. All of the current year's revenues and expenses are taken into consideration regardless of when cash is received or paid.

These two statements report the Library's net assets as a way to measure the Library's financial position. The change in net assets provides the reader a tool to assist in determining whether the Library's financial health is improving or deteriorating. The reader will need to consider other non-financial factors such as assessment base, and facility conditions in arriving at their conclusion regarding the overall health of Library.

Reporting the Library's Most Significant Funds

Fund Financial Statements

The Library's fund financial statements provide detail information about the most significant funds – not the Library as a whole. Some funds are required to be established by State law. Other funds are established to help it control and manage money for particular purposes or to meet legal responsibilities for using certain taxes, grants, and other sources of revenue. The general fund used by the Library is a governmental fund.

Governmental Funds

The Library's activities are reported in the governmental fund, which focus on how money flows into and out of the general fund and the balances left at year-end available for spending in future periods. This fund is reported using an accounting method called modified accrual accounting, which measures cash and other financial assets that can readily be converted to cash. The governmental fund statements provide a detailed short-term view of the Library's general operations and the basic services it provides. Governmental fund information helps you determine whether there are more or fewer financial resources available to spend in the near future to finance the Library's programs. The relationship (or differences) between governmental activities (reported in the Statement of Net Assets and the Statement of Activities) and governmental funds is reconciled in the basic financial statements.

Library-wide Financial Analysis

The Statement of Net Assets provides the perspective of the Library as a whole. Exhibit A provides a summary of the Library's net assets as of December 31, 2005 and 2004:

	Governmental Activities				
Exhibit A	2005	2004			
Assets					
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 49,781	\$ 75,527			
Prepaid expenses	5,902	5,843			
Capital assets - net of accumulated	,	2,0.0			
depreciation	645,574	641,720			
Total assets	701,257	723,090			
Liabilities					
Current liabilities	2,180	1,720			
Net Assets					
Invested in property and equipment -					
net of related debt	645,574	641,720			
Restricted for new building	0	17,890			
Unrestricted	53,503	61,760			
Total net assets	\$ 699,077	\$ 721,370			

This analysis focuses on net assets. The Library's net assets were \$699,077 at December 31, 2005. Capital assets totaling \$645,574 compares the original costs, less depreciation of the Library's capital assets.

The \$53,503 in unrestricted net assets of governmental activities represents the *accumulated* results of all past years' operations. The operating results of the General Fund will have a significant impact on the change in unrestricted net assets from year to year.

The results of this year's operations for the Library as a whole are reported in the statement of activities (Exhibit B), which shows the changes in net assets for the year ended December 31, 2005 and 2004.

	Governmental Activities				
Exhibit B	2005		2004		
Revenue					
Program revenue:					
Contributions	\$	3,000	\$	4,072	
Library fines		491		553	
Copier fees		325		289	
Video rentals		2,299		3,237	
General revenue:					
Taxes		83,062		79,098	
State aid		4,124		4,138	
Penal fines		19,586		23,370	
Fees		920		0	
Interest		491		461	
Miscellaneous		106		1,694	
Total revenue		114,404		116,912	
Function/Program Expenses					
Recreation and culture		136,697		127,967	
Change in Net Assets	\$	(22,293)	\$	(11,055)	

Management's Discussion and Analysis For the Year Ended December 31, 2005

As reported in the statement of activities, the cost of all of our *Governmental type* activities this year was \$136,697. Certain activities were funded from those who benefited from the programs. We paid for the remaining "public benefit" portion of our governmental activities interest and miscellaneous revenues.

The Library experienced a decrease in net assets of \$22,293. A key reason for the change in net assets was recognition of depreciation expense on capital assets. The decrease in net assets differs from the change in fund balance and a reconciliation appears in the financial statements.

The Library's Fund

The Library uses the general fund to help it control and manage money for particular purposes. Looking at this fund helps the reader consider whether the Library is being accountable for the resources taxpayers and others provide to it and may provide more insight into the Library's overall financial health.

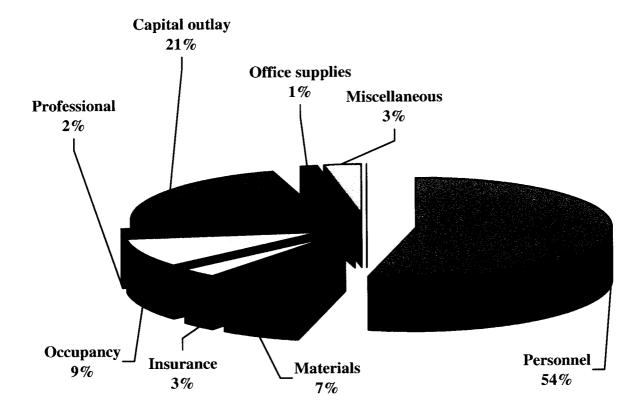
The Library's governmental fund reported a fund balance of \$53,503, which is below last year's total of \$79,650. The schedule below indicates the fund balance and the total change in fund balances as of December 31, 2005 and 2004.

	Fun	Fund Balance		Fund Balance		
	Decem	ber 31, 2005	Decem	ber 31, 2004	I	Decrease
General	\$	53,503	\$	79,650	\$	(26,147)

• Our General Fund decreased \$26,147. The decrease is mainly due to the expenses associated with the automation process and the completion of the children's area with additional shelving.

As the graph below illustrates, 54% of the Library's General Fund resources are spent on personnel costs. Another 9% is spent on occupancy, which includes utilities, communications and repairs and maintenance, while 7% is materials expense. The Library spent 21% on capital outlay in the current year. The remaining 9% is spent on other expenditures as shown below.

Expenditures



The chart below compares current year expenditures with prior year.

	2005	2004
Expenditures by Function Current operations Capital outlay	\$111,558 28,993	\$ 105,091 4,164
Total	\$ 140,551	\$109,255

Expenditures are up by \$31,296 from the prior year mostly due an increase in capital outlay and personnel costs.

General Fund Budgetary Highlights

Over the course of the year, the Library revises its budget to reflect changes in revenues and expenditures. State law requires that the budget be amended to ensure that expenditures do not exceed appropriations. A schedule showing the Library's original and final budget amounts compared with amounts actually paid and received is provided in required supplemental information of these financial statements. Changes to the General Fund original budget were as follows:

- Final budgeted revenues were \$963 over the original budget due to an increase in property taxes.
- Final budgeted expenses were \$3,535 over the original budget due to an increase in salaries and wages and capital outlay. These increases were off set by decreases in materials and other expenditures.

The differences between the budget and the final actual amounts are as follows:

- Actual revenues exceeded budgeted revenue by \$3,461. The difference is due an increase in penal fines and the receipt of unexpected contributions.
- Actual expenditures were under the budgeted expenditures by \$1,808. The difference is due to a decrease in other expenditures.

Capital Assets

At December 31, 2005, the Library had \$645,574 invested in a broad range of capital assets, including land, buildings, furniture, and equipment. The Library added shelving to the children's room. The Library also went on an automated system for tracking inventory. The automation process involved purchasing software and other equipment for the automation process.

	2005		2004
Land	\$	24,000	\$ 24,000
Buildings and improvements		624,941	624,941
Furniture and fixtures		49,716	25,829
Equipment		5,323	 5,323
Total capital assets		703,980	680,093
Less accumulated depreciation		58,406	38,373
Net capital assets	\$	645,574	\$ 641,720

We do not anticipate any significant additions to the capital assets in the upcoming year. We present more detailed information about our capital assets in the notes to the financial statements.

Factors Expected to Have an Effect on Future Operations

Revenue from assessments is expected to be comparable to the current year. There will need to be an adjustment in Library expenditures in response to any revenue shortfall.

Requests For Information

This financial report is designed to provide a general overview of the Library's finances for all those with an interest in the Coleman Area Library. Questions concerning any of the information provided in this report or requests for additional financial information should be addressed to:

Coleman Area Library P.O. Box 515 Coleman, MI 48618

Statement of Net Assets <u>December 31, 2005</u>

	Governmental <u>Activities</u>		
<u>Assets</u>			
Cash and cash equivalents	\$ 49,781		
Prepaid expenses	5,902		
Capital assets - net of accumulated depreciation of \$58,406	645,574		
Total Assets	701,257		
<u>Liabilities</u>			
Accounts payable	8		
Accrued payroll deductions and taxes	2,172		
Total Liabilities	2,180		
Net Assets			
Invested in capital assets	645,574		
Unrestricted	53,503		
Total Net Assets	\$ 699,077		

Statement of Activities For the Year Ended December 31, 2005

				Governmental
		Program	Revenues	Activities
				Net (Expense)
				Revenue and
		Charges for		Changes in
Functions/Programs	<u>Expenses</u>	Services	Contributions	Net Assets
Primary Government -				
Governmental activities:				
Recreation and culture	\$ 136,697	\$ 3,115	\$ 3,000	\$ (130,582)
	General revenue	es:		
	Taxes			83,062
	State aid			4,124
	Penal fines			19,586
	Fees			920
	Interest			491
	Miscellaneous			106
	Total general rev	venues		108,289
	Change in net as	ssets		(22,293)
	Net assets - begi	nning of year		721,370
	Net assets - end	of year		\$ 699,077

Governmental Fund Balance Sheet December 31, 2005

<u>Assets</u>		General Fund
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	49,781
Prepaid expenditures		5,902
	<u>\$</u>	55,683
Liabilities and Fund Balance		
<u>Liabilities</u>		
Accounts payable	\$	8
Accrued payroll deductions and taxes		2,172
Total liabilities		2,180
Fund Balance		
Unreserved:		
Designated for building repairs		5,929
Designated for equipment replacements		17,250
Designated for automation		12,440
Designated for computer replacement		4,166
Designated for microfilming		3,249
Designated for memorials		1,643
Designated for Friend of the Library		215
Undesignated	····	8,611
Total fund balances		53,503
Total Liabilities and Fund Balances	\$	55,683

Reconciliation of Balance Sheet of Governmental Fund to the Statement of Net Assets <u>December 31, 2005</u>

Total fund balance - governmental fund	\$	53,503
Amounts reported for governmental activities in the		
statement of net assets are different because:		
Capital assets used in governmental activities are not financial		
resources and are not reported in the funds		
Cost of the capital assets		703,980
Accumulated depreciation		(58,406)
Total net assets - governmental activities	_\$_	699,077

Governmental Fund

Statement of Revenues, Expenditures and Change in Fund Balance

For the Year Ended December 31, 2005

	General Fund
Revenues	
Taxes	\$ 83,062
State aid	4,124
Penal fines	19,586
Contributions	3,000
Fees	920
Library fines	491
Copier fees	325
Rentals	2,299
Interest	491
Miscellaneous	106
Total revenues	114,404
Expenditures	
Current operations	111,558
Capital outlay	28,993
Total expenditures	140,551
Net change in fund balance	(26,147)
Fund balance - beginning of year	79,650
Fund balance - end of year	\$ 53,503

Reconciliation of the Statement of Revenues, Expenditures, and Change in Fund Balance of Governmental Fund to the Statement of Activities

For the Year Ended December 31, 2005

Net change in fund balance - total governmental fund

\$ (26,147)

Amounts reported for governmental funds in the statement of activities are different because:

Governmental funds report capital outlays as expenditures; in the statement of activities, these costs are allocated over their estimated useful lives as depreciation

Depreciation expense

Depreciation expense
Capital outlay

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\$ (22,293)

Change in net assets of governmental activities

NOTE 1 – SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES

The accounting policies of Coleman Area Library (Library) conform to U.S. generally accepted accounting principles as applicable to governmental units. The following is a summary of the significant accounting policies used by Coleman Area Library:

Reporting Entity

The Coleman Area Library was organized to provide library services to residents of the City of Coleman, Warren and Geneva Townships in Midland County. The accompanying financial statements present the financial position and results of operations for the Library.

Government-Wide and Fund Financial Statements

The government-wide financial statements (i.e., the statement of net assets and the statement of activities) report information on all of the non-fiduciary activities of the primary government.

The statement of activities demonstrates the degree to which the direct expenses of a given function or segments are offset by program revenues. Direct expenses are those that are clearly identifiable with a specific function. Program revenues include: (1) charges to customers or applicants who purchase, use, or directly benefit from goods, services, or privileges provided by a given function and (2) grants and contributions that are restricted to meeting the operational or capital requirements of a particular function. Other items not properly included among program revenues are reported instead as general revenue.

Measurement Focus, Basis of Accounting and Financial Statement Presentation

The government-wide financial statements are reported using the economic resources measurement focus and the accrual basis of accounting. Revenue is recorded when earned and expenses are recorded when a liability is incurred, regardless of the timing of related cash flows. Grants and similar items are recognized as revenue as soon as all eligibility requirements imposed by the provider have been met.

Governmental fund financial statements are reported using the current financial resources measurement focus and the modified accrual basis of accounting. Revenue is recognized as soon as it is both measurable and available. Revenue is considered to be available if it is collected within the current period or soon enough thereafter to pay liabilities of the current period. For this purpose, the government considers revenues to be available if they are collected within 60 days of the end of the current fiscal period. Expenditures generally are recorded when a liability is incurred, as under accrual accounting.

Assessments and interest associated with the current fiscal period are all considered to be susceptible to accrual and so have been recognized as revenue of the current fiscal period. All other revenue items are considered to be available only when cash is received by the Library.

NOTE 1 – SUMMARY OF SIGNIFICANT ACCOUNTING POLICIES (CONTINUED)

The Library reports the following major governmental fund:

The General Fund is the government's primary operating fund. It accounts for all financial resources of the general government, except those required to be accounted for in another fund.

Assets, Liabilities, and Net Assets or Equity

<u>Deposits and Investments</u> – Cash and cash equivalents are considered to be cash on hand, demand deposits, and short-term investments with a maturity of three months or less when acquired. Investments are stated at fair value.

<u>Capital Assets</u> – Capital assets, which include land, buildings and furniture and equipment are reported in the government-wide financial statements. Capital assets are defined as assets with an initial individual cost of more than \$5,000 and an estimated useful life in excess of 3 years. Such assets are recorded at historical cost or estimated historical cost if purchased or constructed. Donated capital assets are recorded at estimated fair market value at the date of donation. Costs of normal repair and maintenance that do not add value or materially extend asset lives are not capitalized.

Building, furniture and fixtures, and equipment are being depreciated using the straight-line method over the following useful lives:

Buildings	40 Years
Furniture and fixtures	5 to 15 Years
Equipment	5 to 10 Years

<u>Long-term Obligations</u> – In the government-wide financial statements, long-term debt and other long-term obligations are reported as liabilities in the governmental activities statement of net assets. The face amount of debt issued is reported as other financing sources. Issuance costs are reported as debt service expenditures.

<u>Fund Equity</u> – In the fund financial statements, governmental funds report reservations of fund balance for amounts that are not available for appropriation or are legally restricted by outside parties for use for a specific purpose. Designations of fund balance represent tentative management plans that are subject to change.

<u>Use of Estimates</u> – The process of preparing the basic financial statements in conformity with U.S. generally accepted accounting principles requires the use of estimates and assumptions regarding certain types of assets, liabilities, revenues, and expenses. Such estimates primarily relate to unsettled transactions and events as of the date of the financial statements. Accordingly, upon settlement, actual results may differ from estimated amounts.

NOTE 2 – BUDGETS

The State of Michigan adopted a Uniform Budgeting and Accounting Act (Act) applicable to all local governmental entities in the state. The law requires appropriation acts to be adopted for General and Special Revenue Funds of governments prior to the expenditure of monies in a fiscal year.

Coleman Area Library follows these procedures in establishing the budgetary data reflected in the financial statements.

- 1. The Library's director submits to the Board a proposed budget prior to January 1 of each year. The budget includes proposed expenditures and the means of financing them.
- 2. A public hearing is conducted to obtain taxpayer comments.
- 3. Budgeted amounts are as originally adopted, or as amended by the Board throughout the year. Individual amendments were not material in relation to the original appropriations. Budgets are adopted to the functional level.
- 4. Appropriations lapse at year-end. These appropriations are re-established at the beginning of the following year.

A comparison of actual results of operations to the budgeted amounts (at the level of control adopted by the Board) for the General Fund is presented as Required Supplemental Information.

During the year ended December 31, 2005, the Library incurred expenditures in certain budgetary funds which were in excess of the amounts appropriated as follows:

<u>Function</u>	<u>Appropriations</u>		Exp	Expenditures		<u>Variance</u>	
Current: Materials Capital Outlay	\$	9,125 28,600	\$	9,247 28,993	\$	(122) (393)	

NOTE 3 – DEPOSITS AND INVESTMENTS

Michigan Compiled Laws, Section 129.91, authorizes the local governmental unit to make deposits and invest in the accounts of federally insured banks, credit unions, and savings and loan associations which have an office in Michigan. The local unit is allowed to invest in bonds, securities and other direct obligations of the United States or any agency or instrumentality of the United States; United States government or federal agency obligations; repurchase agreements; bankers' acceptance of United States banks; commercial paper rates within the two highest classifications which mature not more than 270 days after the date of purchase; obligations of the State of Michigan or its political subdivisions which are rated as investment grade; and mutual funds composed of investment vehicles which are legal for direct investment by local units of government in Michigan. The Library's deposits are in accordance with statutory authority.

At year-end, the Library's deposits were reported in the basic financial statements in the following categories:

	Governmental Activities		
Cash and cash equivalents	\$	49,781	

Custodial Credit Risk- Deposits

In the case of deposits, this is the risk that in the event of a bank failure, the Library's deposits may not be returned to it. As of December 31, 2005, none of the Library bank balance of \$52,120 was exposed to custodial credit risk.

The Library's investment policy does not identify interest rate risk, foreign currency risk or concentration credit risk.

The Library has no investments as of December 31, 2005.

NOTE 4 - CAPITAL ASSETS

Capital asset activity of the Library for the current year was as follows:

Governmental Activities	Balance January 1, 2005	Additions	Disposals and Adjustments	Balance December 31, 2005	
Capital assets not being depreciated					
Land	\$ 24,000	\$ 0	\$ 0	\$ 24,000	
Capital assets being depreciated:					
Buildings	624,941	0	0	624,941	
Furniture and fixtures	25,829	23,887	0	49,716	
Equipment	5,323	0	0	5,323	
Subtotal	656,093	23,887	0	679,980	
Less accumulated depreciation for:					
Buildings	31,247	15,623	0	46,870	
Furniture and fixtures	4,048	1,065	0	5,113	
Equipment	3,078	3,345	0	6,423	
Subtotal	38,373	20,033	0	58,406	
Net capital assets being depreciated	617,720	3,854	0	621,574	
Governmental Activities, Total					
Capital Assets - Net of Depreciation	\$ 641,720	\$ 3,854	\$ 0	\$ 645,574	

Depreciation expense was charged to Library as follows:

Recreation and culture \$ 20,033

NOTE 5 – RISK MANAGEMENT

The Coleman Area Library is exposed to various risks of loss related to property loss, torts, errors and omissions and employee injuries (workers' compensation). The Coleman Area Library participates in the Michigan Municipal League risk pool for claims relating to workers' compensation, general liability, and property/casualty claims. Settled claims relating to the commercial insurance have not exceeded the amount of insurance coverage in any of the past three fiscal years.

The Michigan Municipal League risk pool program operates as a common risk-sharing management program for local units of government in Michigan; member premiums are used to purchase commercial excess insurance coverage and to pay member claims in excess of deductible amounts.

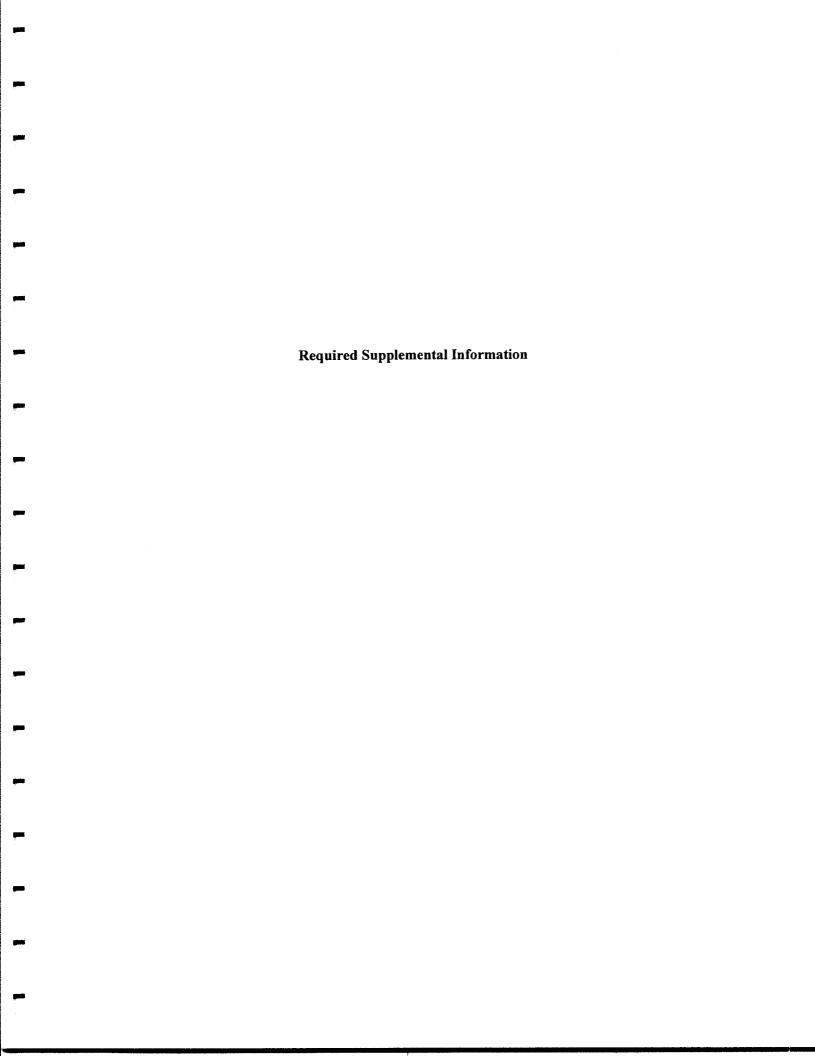
The Michigan Municipal Risk Management Authority risk pool program operates as a claims servicing pool for amounts up to member retention limits, and operates as a common risk-sharing management program for losses in excess of member retention amounts. Although premiums are paid annually to the Authority, that the Authority uses to pay claims up to the retention limits, the ultimate liability for those claims remains with the Coleman Area Library.

The Michigan Municipal Risk Management Authority's State Pool program operates as a common risk-sharing management program for local units of government in Michigan. Member premiums are used to purchase excess insurance coverage and to pay member claims in excess of deductible amounts. A portion of the excess insurance coverage is underwritten by the Authority itself.

The Michigan Boards Participating Plan operates as an insurance purchasing pool for local units of government in Michigan. The Plan purchases commercial insurance on behalf of its members at a lower cost than would be available on an individual basis.

NOTE 6 - SIMPLE-IRA PLAN

The Library has adopted a Simple-IRA Plan covering all eligible employees. Employees contribute to the plan and the Library matches up to 3% of employee contributions. The amount paid by the Library for 2005 was \$1,394.



Required Supplemental Information Budgetary Comparison Schedule - General Fund For the Year Ended December 31, 2005

				Variances with Final Budget
	Original	Final Amended		Favorable
	Budget	Budget	Actual	(Unfavorable)
<u>Revenues</u>				
Taxes	\$ 80,353	\$ 82,579	\$ 83,062	\$ 483
State aid	4,137	4,124	4,124	Ψ 403
Penal fines	17,820	17,820	19,586	1,766
Contributions	0	0	3,000	3,000
Fees	920	920	920	0
	103,230	105,443	110,692	5,249
Library fines			491	
Copier fees			325	
Rentals			2,299	
Interest			491	
Miscellaneous			106	
	6,750	5,500	3,712	(1,788)
Total revenues	109,980	110,943	114,404	3,461
Expenditures				
Current				
Personnel:				
Salaries and wages	62,105	69,750	69,149	601
Payroll taxes	4,565	4,934	5,310	(376)
Retirement	1,700	1,286	1,394	(108)
	68,370	75,970	75,853	117
Materials:				
Books			4,673	
Periodicals and newspapers			2,594	
Audio and visual			1,980	
	13,029	9,125	9,247	(122)
Other:				
Utilities			5,758	
Repairs and maintenance			5,184	
Insurance and bonds			4,491	
Professional and contractual			2,918	
Communications			2,068	

Required Supplemental Information Budgetary Comparison Schedule - General Fund For the Year Ended December 31, 2005

	Original Budget	Final Amended Budget	Actual	Variances with Final Budget Favorable (Unfavorable)
White Pine co-op			\$ 2,001	
Office supplies			,	
Promotional			1,600	
Operating supplies			1,008	
			637	
Postage			332	
Printing			220	
Rentals			90	
Miscellaneous			81	
Dues			70	
	42,425	28,664	26,458	2,206
Capital outlay	15,000	28,600	28,993	(202)
Total expenditures	138,824	142,359		(393)
•	130,021	142,339	140,551	1,808
Net change in fund balance	(28,844)	(31,416)	(26,147)	5,269
Fund balance - beginning of year	79,650	79,650	79,650	0
Fund balance - end of year	\$ 50,806	\$ 48,234	\$ 53,503	\$ 5,269



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April 26, 2006

Members of the Library Board Coleman Area Library Coleman, Michigan

This letter is intended to inform the Library Board about significant matters related to the conduct of the annual audit so it can appropriately discharge its oversight responsibility and that we comply with our professional responsibilities to the Library Board.

The following summarizes various matters which must be communicated to you under U.S. generally accepted auditing standards.

The Auditor's Responsibility Under U.S. Generally Accepted Auditing Standards

Our audit of the financial statements of the Library for the year ended December 31, 2005 was conducted in accordance with U.S. generally accepted auditing standards. Those standards require that we plan and perform the audit to obtain reasonable assurance about whether the financial statements are free of material misstatement, whether caused by error, fraudulent financial reporting or misappropriation of assets. An audit includes examining, on a test basis, evidence supporting the amounts and disclosures in the financial statements. An audit also includes assessing the accounting principles used and significant estimates made by management, as well as evaluating the overall financial statement presentation. Accordingly, the audit was designed to obtain reasonable, rather than absolute, assurance about the financial statements. We believe our audit accomplished that objective.

Management Judgments and Accounting Estimates

Accounting estimates are an integral part of the preparation of financial statements and are based upon management's current judgment. The process used by management encompasses their knowledge and experience about past and current events and certain assumptions about future events. Management has informed us they used all the relevant facts available to them at the time to make the best judgments about accounting estimates and we considered this information in the scope of our audit. These estimates are relatively insignificant in relation to the financial statements taken as a whole.

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Audit Adjustments

There were audit adjustments made to the original trial balance presented to us to begin our audit. In our judgment, the adjustments we proposed, either individually or in the aggregate, are not considered to have a significant effect on the Library's financial reporting process.

Disagreements with Management

We encountered no disagreements with management over the application of significant principles, the basis for management's judgments on any significant matters, the scope of the audit or significant disclosures to be included in the financial statements.

Consultations with Other Accountants

We are not aware of any consultations management had with other accountants about accounting or auditing matters.

Major Issues Discussed with Management Prior to Retention

No major issues were discussed with management prior to our retention to perform the aforementioned audit.

Difficulties Encountered in Performing the Audit

We did not encounter any difficulties in dealing with management relating to the performance of the audit.

Closing

We will be pleased to respond to any questions you have about the foregoing. We appreciate the opportunity to continue to be of service to the Library.

This report is intended solely for the information and use of the Members of the Library Board and management and is not intended to be, and should not be, used by anyone other than the specified parties.

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